### REBELS GET THE WORST OF IT

DEFEATED BY DIAZ FORCES IN MANY ENCOUNTERS.

How the New Law Abolishing Personal Guarantees in Mexico Will Re Applied Leader Madero Wounded, Narrowly Escapes Capture in Battle.

MEXICO CITY, March 12. Telegraphic information received yesterday and tofrom all over the republic indicate that the rebels are getting decidedly the worst of every recent encounter with At Pedernales, Durango, the Federals. seventy-five Federal cavalrymen met a considerable band of insurgents and immediately gave battle.

The fight lasted from sunrise on Friday until noon, when the Federal leader saw that the rebels were receiving reenforcements. He sent to Durango for more troops and a special train with 200 men was despatched, but before it arrived the rebels retreated.

A telegram states that the Government ost only three killed and five wounded. while the rebels left twenty-three dead and many wounded on the field.

The Minister of War declared yesterday that he had received no confirmation of the repuise of Madero's attack against Cases Grandes with heavy loss, as reported in despatches from the United

A despatch from Torreon says that during the recent battle at the Hacienda Saucillo the rebels lost fifty killed and eighteen prisoners. The Federal loss was fifteen killed. Among the rebels killed was Lopez Ortiz, who had been leading a band that burned bridges south of Torreon some weeks ago, capturing a passenger train and committing many depredations.

A large body of rebels is reported near

to destroy property seem to have no organization. They are successfully avoiding conflicts with small squads of Government troops sent against them and are without question able to continue the present guerrilla warfare indefinitely while something like real war elsewhere supying the attention of the main bodies of the Government troops in other sections of the country.

El Paso, March 12.-Francisco I Madero, insurrecto Provisional President, was wounded in the left arm in the fighting at Casas Grandes on Monday. says so himself in a letter received by the insurrecto junta here to-day.

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"The demonstration was suppressed without much difficulty and the city has socialist, escaped without much difficulty and the city has been quiet ever since October last. The insurrection in Chihuahua seems to have been due to a revoit against the local Governor rather than against the Federal Government. Up to a month ago it was

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Morrow.

For easiern New York, easiern Fennsylvanic, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland, rain, followed by clearing and somewhat colder, to-day: fair to-morrow; moderate variable winds, becoming brisk northwesterly.

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a battalion he gained a lot of experience.
"One defeat never lost a war," he says.
Col. Hay was captured, it was learned, while leading a charge of "the dynamite brigade" through the streets. These men threw dynamite bombs into the church, the military quarters and the municipal offices, lighting the fuses with their cigars and holding them until the fuse had nearly burned up before throwing them.

C. F. Z. Caracristi, mining engineer and C. F. Z. Caracristi, mining engineer and soldier of fortune, who has been recog-nized here for some time as the spokes-man for Madero, despatched a letter to the insurrecto chief to-day suggesting that he make a formal offer to the United

# Says Col. Sir T. H. Holdich.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, March 12 .- Col. Sir Thomas of a train wreck.

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Is about fourteen miles from Casas is residents of Mexico concerning the outcome of the insurrection in the north of the republic. It was assumed, and the assumption seemed justified, that Diaz was quite capable of dealing with the was quite capable of dealing with the crisis without outside assistance or interference.

It will be renembered, continues the fight was a Scotchman in the fight in the following rain. The Weather.

March 13.—The weather was generally cloudy and unsettled yesterday in the middle Atlantic and New England States and the lower lake regions, following rain, snow or half in the early morning.

Over the northeastern part of the country it was cooler. In the central sections it was warmer and at some points in the South and Southwest unusually high temperatures prevailed. Italia or snow fell in the Rocky Mountains and westward, where it was cooler.

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TRAWLER IN THE FISH MARKET

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ooks in Her Lead Color Paint and Her Steel Pilot House Amidships Something Like a Pigmy Warship Looked Like

trawler, the first that ever has been in she is from Aberdeen. After leaving sale in Eastern Mongolia and the estab-Aberdeen she touched at various ports lishment of consulates at Kobdo and four of Newfoundland and Nova Scotia and other cities.

100 to 300 fathoms, or 600 to 1,800 feet

The skipper of the Coquet, which has been doing deep sea fishing many years, is Frank Sheekey, Briton, and his crew Capt. Roque Gonzales receives credit Wales. Everybody in South street with nothing else to do went down to the Fulton fish market pier yesterday and looked at the Coquet. She flew the red merchant for a rifle dropped by one of his men who had fallen in battle he was shot in the arm and the Federals made a rush for him. Gonzales rallied a bunch of men and checked them until Madero could get away. or ten men are from England, treland and definition of the Full of the England and definition of the Full of the England and definition of the Eng at all) the color of the American warship in time of war and that her pilot house monument and suggested the conning in court have sent word that they wil tower of a battleship, was pretty safe from sea invasion. Any wave that might | In the event of their failing to appear break over her uprearing stem could not the trial Judge has arranged to draw a

man for Madero, despatched a letter to the insurrector chief to-day suggesting that he make a formal offer to the United States expected that they are about to attack the place, but the result is unknown.

Hailroad communication continues interrupted north of Torreon.

There is little chance of getting trains through soon, as it is said that rebels have blown up the steel bridge just south of Chiuahua. It is the biggest bridge on the Central line and will take at least two months to repair. The two piers have been completely destroyed by dynamite. The line from Torreon to Durango is also out of commission.

Mainister of War Cosio was interviewed to-day regarding the law suspending individual guarantees proposed by President Diaz and the ministers, which the Fernanent Committee of Congress will approve at its session to-morrow.

He said redoubled vigilance will be exercised along the lines of railroad: The said redoubled vigilance will be exercised along the lines of railroad; the provisions of the act covering cases where culprits are caught in the act and the punishment provided is death.

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H. Holdich, retired, who is said to have During 1910 the lines of the Pennsylvabeen interested in a \$100,000,000 inter- nia Railroad east of Pittsburg carried celebrity. oceanic canal scheme in Colombia, writes 14,180,228 more passengers than in 1900, to the Times that he has just returned but the total number of passengers in-

ons of the country.

Paso, March 12.—Francisco I to the Times that he has just returned to the city of Mexico, which he left on February 14. He saw President Diaz upon his return trip and the Mexican as compared with 1999. These figures include every case requiring surgical or medical attention, however trivial.

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### The Weather.

RUSSIA MENACING.

Foreign Office Cavils at China's Reply Talk of an Ultimatum. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
ST. PETERSBURG, March 12.—Several of

the newspapers here print communications from the Foreign Office strongly criticising China's reply to two of Russia's six demands. The replies to four Like a Pigmy Warship—Looked Like of the points raised were approved by an icebers When Last at Cape Breton. the Czar's Government and confidence She looks somewhat like a submarine was expressed that the other matters unsubmerged and a bit like a little battle- at issue would soon be settled satisfacship, but she is just a British steam torily. The points in dispute related to the Russian claim to the right of her this port. She is called the Coquet and merchants to import merchandise for

her owner, George Craig, boarded her China in reply cites the treaty now at Louisburg. Cape Breton, and came existing to show that importation of with her to this port. The trip is experimerchandise is limited to foreign goods. mental. If she gets a good price for her Hence Russia's objection to the opera-10,000 pounds of haddock, hake, butterfish, tions of the private Chinese company fluke, conger eels, sheepshead and whiting which monopolizes the tea trade in the she may go away off the banks again and affected district is unfounded. It is pointed bring in another cargo. She cannot be out here that it is beside the mark that charged with infringing on the rights of China should agree to the consulates American fishermen, as her catches are while insisting upon the fulfilment of made beyond the three mile limit in from treaty conditions which stipulate certain trade provisos.

Russia is displeased with these contentions, which it is understood she rejects. but she has not yet assumed the attitude of ten men are from England, Ireland and demanded by the Novoe Vremya, which ultimatum is imperative."

> VITERBO JURORS TO SERVE. Should They Fall a Panel of Villager Will Try Camorrists.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
VITERBO, March 12.—Twenty of the men who were summoned for jury duty in the which rose from amidships like a small Camorrist trial and who failed to appear

> panel from neighboring towns and villages to whom the pay of 90 cents a day will be sufficient inducement to insure their attendance.

The trial will be resumed on Tuesday OUTBREAK IN BILBAO.

Broken Heads and Arrests in Spanish Provintial Elections Other Regions Quie Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

MADRID, March 12 .- The provincial elections passed off quietly as a rule, but there was a slight outbreak at Bilbao, where the Republicans and Socialists clashed in the streets. As a result of the fighting the police

were compelled to disperse the crowds.
They charged repeatedly and many persons were hurt. Many arrests also were made.
It is announced that the returns so far show the election of seven Republicans and seven Monarchists as Deputies.

WON'T HAVE BRITISH TERMINAL Germany May Divert Bagdad Railway

From Kowelt.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
BERLIN, March 12.—There are many indications that the German Government is considering the abandonment of Koweit as the terminus of the much discussed Bagdad railway and will seek another outlet to the Persian Gulf. Koweit is under the protection of England.

east of Pittsburg and Erie was 371,858,277, and only one of them was killed as a result of a train wreck.

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